



TOBACCO USE AMONG SEXUAL & GENDER MINORITY EMERGING ADULTS IN CALIFORNIA

SURVEY RESPONDENTS



Between March 2020 and August 2021, over **850** 18-29 year old LGBTQIA+ emerging adults who live in California and had used tobacco in the last 30 days responded to a confidential online survey

Gender Identity

45% Cisgender Women
24% Cisgender Men
21% Genderqueer
5% Transgender Men
4% Transgender Women
1% Other

Sexual Orientation

40% Bisexual
17% Gay
13% Lesbian
12% Pansexual
11% Queer
4% Asexual
2% Straight
1% Other

TOP TOBACCO PRODUCTS USED



Current tobacco use (past 30 days)



e-Nicotine Device Use



46% Cisgender sexual minority women
24% Cisgender sexual minority men
30% Gender-diverse people

Manufactured Cigarette



38% Cisgender sexual minority women
26% Cisgender sexual minority men
36% Gender-diverse people

Hand-rolled Cigarette



35% Cisgender sexual minority women
20% Cisgender sexual minority men
45% Gender-diverse people

Cigar (and similar) Use



32% Cisgender sexual minority women
32% Cisgender sexual minority men
36% Gender-diverse people

Sexual minority includes gay, lesbian, bisexual, asexual, queer, and pansexual

Gender diverse includes people who are transgender, genderqueer, gender non-conforming, gender non-binary, and gender fluid

CESSATION EFFORTS

Thinking of quitting all tobacco products for good



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Culturally-tailored interventions that are specifically designed for sexual & gender minority emerging adult subgroups are needed



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